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Applicants would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following related applications in the above-identified patent application:

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| 11/241,883 | September 29, 2005 | 2043.239US1 | METHODS AND SYSTEMS TO FACILITATE SEARCHING A DATA RESOURCE |
| 11/241,801 | September 29, 2005 | 2043.272US1 | METHODS AND SYSTEMS TO BROWSE DATA ITEMS |
| 11/241,824 | September 29, 2005 | 2043.273US1 | METHODS AND SYSTEMS TO PROCESS A SELECTION OF A BROWSER BACK BUTTON |
| 11/241,766 | September 29, 2005 | 2043.274US1 | METHOD AND SYSTEM TO DETERMINE AREA ON A USER INTERFACE |

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Continuations and divisionals may be later filed on the cases listed above, or cited to the Examiner in any previous Communication Concerning Related Applications. Applicants request that the Examiner review all continuations and divisionals of the above-listed or previously-cited patent applications before allowing the claims of the present patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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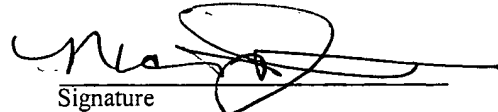
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In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 *et. seq.*, the enclosed materials are brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on the attached Form 1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP 609, Applicants request that a copy of the 1449 form, initialed as being considered by the Examiner, be returned to the Applicants with the next official communication.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), it is believed that no fee or statement is required with the Information Disclosure Statement. However, if an Office Action on the merits has been mailed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in order to have this Information Disclosure Statement considered.

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The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' Representative at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this communication.

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